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leisure during the long hot days for no end of lazy swimming down in the river. The Moyle patrol would come clattering

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could swallow, fishing, shooting and occasionally some stirring scrap with a forest thief or murderer at bay. Golden days, starlit nights in the open, a rousing gallop down the meadows, a bath in the river, a cool pipe by the campfire, with a paradise to live in, the brotherhood of day-wrest for a human interest: such was

Long years have passed since 1887, the lives are scattered now across the world, but when two of comrades meet,

The news told them of the old tramp begots no laughter: A, desecrated; B, shot himself; C, died of typhoid; D, of

and before, E. has disappeared; F. is supposed to have fallen in the Yule G., was frozen to death in a coal shed at Medicine Hat; H. is a rancher in Columbia Valley; but for the rest, spirits are calling across the deep from all the continents and all the oceans, and the glass that was lifted for the toast of the good old times falls shattered because some strange remembered voice comes from across the Atlantic.

But although everything at Wild Horse Creek remained pretty much as before, the Blackguard was entirely changed since his trip to the Throne. Mother Darkness was alleged to be meditating an action for breach of promise; word

The announcement was made by La Manda himself down at the bathing place, "Yes, I'm here, I'm a religious, the worst of getting drunk - I'm far too good for that."

blantly, upon which the Blackguard, half-dressed, forgetting that his arm was broken, walked into the city, gave chase.

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Address all communications to:
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THURSDAY, JAN. 17, 1901.

The British Columbia Legislature will meet in Victoria on or about February 20th and now is the time to consider what is necessary for the betterment of this district in the way of roads, trails and bridges.

The Horse Thief creek road is probably the one upon which the greatest expenditure of money will be spent next spring, and rightly so, for there has already been many thousands of dollars spent by mining operators up this creek, not only in developing their properties but in constructing trails, etc.; the Government has also spent small sums at different times and the amount of ore already uncovered and on the dump is evidence that a wagon road is warranted. However, we understand that Hon. W. C. Wells has the matter in hand and its construction is practically assured.

Next to this road the extension of Toby creek road up at least to Jumbo creek is perhaps of most importance as it would benefit many good properties. As stated last week the owners of the Delphine are prepared to construct five miles of road upon their property and ship ore at once, which means also that a good force of men will be employed and many other claims benefited. Prof. Robinson, who is now in Chicago and who employed a number of men up Jumbo creek last season, states that he will build eight miles of road up that creek and ship ore immediately; this road would benefit at least 50 other properties.

Then trails or roads are needed up Pughoo, Boulder, Number Two and Three and other creeks, upon all of which good showings of mineral have been uncovered and only await means of access to develop on a large scale.

It is quite evident that the Legislature cannot meet all the demands for roads and trails in this district but at the same time the more important ones will certainly be constructed. We have in these columns at different times advocated for the owners of claims constructing roads the tax on all ore com-

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The following are the objects for which the Company has been incorporated:—

(a) To acquire, work, manage, develop and sell mines, mineral claims and mining properties; and particularly the following mineral claims situate, at the head of Spring Creek, in the Windermere Mining Division of British Columbia, namely the "Silver Belt," "Caribou," "Silver Belt Fraction" and the "Golden Belt."

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(c) To buy, sell, manufacture, and deal in mineral plants, machinery, implements, conveyances, tools and things capable of being used in connection with metallurgical operations, or required by workmen in other employments by the Company.

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Golden Nuggets

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

There is talk of a bowling alley being established in the near future.

Skating and curling are the main amusements in Golden at present.

The Board of Trade will hold their annual meeting on Monday, the 22nd inst.

Mrs. F. Field and daughter, of Field, were in town a couple of days last week.

J. J. Young, editor of the Calgary Herald, spent a short time in Golden last week.

C. A. Warren, who has been at the coast for a short time returned home Sunday.

Miss Ella Pringle arrived from New Westminster last week and is now in charge of the junior division of the Public School.

A number of Golden's popular young bachelors spent a most enjoyable evening in the parlors of the Columbia House Thursday.

Thos. O'Brien, the new editor and proprietor of the Era, returned from Calgary Thursday and has already improved the Era very much.

The Golden Hospital annual ball will be held in the Columbia Hall on Wednesday, Jan. 23rd. Good music has been secured and a grand success in every way is assured.

The Kicking Horse river has again risen to the high water level. It is about time that the Dominion Government took action to have the necessary work accomplished as life and property are in continual danger from the overflow of this river.

Our Public School now has three divisions and under Principal J. A. Bates was opened for the new term on Monday last week. Mr. Bates has not met much success since he took charge of the school three and a half years ago and it is not unlikely from the ever increasing attendance that the number of teachers may soon again be increased.

Here is the latest story of the man who is too stingy to take his home paper: A man who is too economical to subscribe for a paper sent his little boy to borrow the copy taken by his neighbor. In his haste the boy ran over a four-dollar stand of beer, and in 10 minutes looked like a warty squash. His cries reached his father, who ran to his assistance, and failing to notice a barbed wire fence, ran into that, breaking it down, cutting a handful of flesh from his anatomy and ruining a four-dollar pair of pants. The old cow took advantage of the gap in the fence and got into the cornfield and killed herself eating green corn. Hearing the racket, the wife ran, upset a five-gallon churn full of rich cream into a basket of chickens, drowning the whole flock. In the hurry she dropped a seven-dollar set of false teeth. The baby, left alone, crawled through the spilled milk and into the parlor, running a brand-new twenty-dollar carpet. During the excitement the oldest daughter ran away with the hired man, the dog broke up 11 setting hens and the calves got out and chewed the tails off four fine shirts.

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